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Applicant(s): NAKANO, et al

Serial No.: 10/075,244

Filed: February 15, 2002

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PLASMA PROCESSING

Attention: APPLICATION DIVISION

REPLY TO OFFICE LETTER

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

June 10, 2002

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated April 22, 2002, in connection with the above-identified application, attached hereto is an executed Declaration for Patent Application in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63. In addition, a payment in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the required surcharge for filing the declaration is also attached, in accordance with 37 CFR 1.16.

Please charge any shortages in the fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (501.41175X00) and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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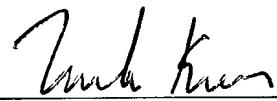
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Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, which was originally filed on February 15, 2002, without an English translation of the specification, and responsive to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted dated April 22, 2002, please find attached hereto a Verified English Translation of the specification for submission in the above-identified application.

A Credit Card Payment Form authorizing the requisite \$130.00 fee is attached. Should any additional fees become due in connection with the filing of this Verified English Translation of the specification, please charge Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (501.41175X00).

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TRANSMITTAL OF SUBSTITUTE FORMAL DRAWING(S)

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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated April 22, 2002, enclosed are ten (10) sheets of formal drawing(s), showing Figs. 1-15, in connection with the above-identified application.

Respectfully submitted,



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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The application was filed in a language other than English. Applicant is required to provide an English translation of the specification and a statement that the translation is accurate. (See 37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- Applicant must file an English translation of the application, the \$ 130 fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(i), unless previously submitted, and a statement that the translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 260.**
- Because your specification was filed in a language other than English, the Office was unable to determine the number of claims submitted. Additional claim fees may be due once the number of claims can be determined.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:

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 see 37 CFR 1.84(p)(2) and 37 CFR 1.52(d)(1);

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